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Title: Apparatus and Method for Providing a Centralized Personal Data Base  
Accessed By Combined Multiple Identification Numbers

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## AMENDMENT

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For the foregoing reasons, the Applicant submits that the claims of the present application are not fairly taught by any of the references of record, taken either alone or in combination. Therefore, allowance of the present application is in order, and is requested.

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